

Train Schedule:

	No.	Due
Southbound	5	7:20 a. m.
	19	10:07 a. m.
	13	8:37 p. m.
	11	10:12 p. m.
Northbound	14	7:44 a. m.
	20	7:35 p. m.
	6	11:33 p. m.

LOCAL ITEMS

Short News Items of Interest of Town and County, Condensed into Paragraphs for Hurried Reading.

—W. S. S.
—Phone 182.
—Subscription \$1.50
—T. B. Liles, Carrier on Route 2, last Friday sold \$100 of War Savings Stamps on his route.
—There will be Children's Day exercises at St. Paul's church, in Wolf Pit, Sunday morning beginning at 10 o'clock.
—One of the prettiest stands of rye hereabouts is that of B. F. Palmer, near the city. He has 45 acres about ready to cut.
—The University Summer School opens June 11th; the Law School opens June 13th; the Summer Military Training Camp at Asheville opens June 14th.
—The thermometer joined the 100 per cent crowd last Saturday and Sunday. However a good "season" fell Monday night and temporarily at least broke the heat wave.
—Charter Oak Camp, No. 5, W. O. W., recently took out \$200 in Third Liberty bonds, and more recently a number of the members have organized a War Savings Society, with T. B. Liles, pres., and W. M. Hales, treas.
—There are many men in Richmond county liable for indictment because of the fact that they let the month of May pass and did not list their taxes for the year 1918. Better see your list taker immediately and so avoid prosecution.
—It is said there will be no special summer rates offered by the railroads this season. The government would much prefer that no one travel except when really necessary. Next Monday, 10th, the passenger rate is increased to three cents per mile; on June 25th freight rates will be advanced 25 per cent.
—Robert Medlin, the 10-year-old son of Lorenzo Medlin, came near sustaining a serious accident last Friday. He was riding his bicycle in front of the courthouse and collided with an auto truck. The little fellow was knocked down, but aside from a gash on top of his head he for a wonder was otherwise unhurt.
—A mule and buggy, belonging to Silas Covington, colored, was stolen from him Saturday afternoon by a small colored boy, Willie Morrison. The outfit was found early Sunday morning on the streets of Hamlet. The boy was arrested in Hamlet Tuesday and bound over to court by Squire Guthrie.
—Jim Little came near losing his Ford entirely Sunday night. He was carrying a passenger to Hamlet shortly after dark, when about half way he gave out of gasoline. Procuring some he was in the act of pouring it in his car when his passenger struck a match for him to see; the gas ignited and as a result the top, upholstery and a tire were consumed by the flames.
—E. D. Norton, a Holiness preacher, last Sunday closed a 47-nights tent meeting at Hannah Pickett. He began a 17-day meeting in his tent at Great Falls Friday night. Rev. S. B. Norton, of St. Paul, will assist him.

Good Show

at Star theatre tomorrow (Friday) "Scandal" is the name.

PERSONAL

Miss Rena Grott, of Baltimore, came Tuesday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Jake Cohen.
J. A. Dunn, of Norfolk, spent from Saturday to Tuesday here with his family.
Mrs. H. L. Monroe and children, of Hamlet, spent Tuesday at the home of J. C. Polk.
Misses Malissa and Ava Ratliff of Morven, spent the week-end with Mrs. James Thredgill.
Mrs. Ben Dunlap, of Ansonville, spent from Saturday to Tuesday here with Mrs. S. W. Steele.
Lynwood and Harry Fowlkes returned last Friday from Birmingham's Military School, near Asheville.
Mrs. J. B. Kelly, of Carthage, came Sunday to spend a week with her daughter, Mrs. J. V. McCollum.
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Polk and children spent Sunday in Wadesboro with the former's sister, Mrs. Purdie Bennett.
Miss Mary Clif Bennett spent the week-end here, leaving Monday for Raleigh to take the two weeks' special canning course at the A. & E.
Mrs. M. M. Dunn, who has been here for the past two months, left Wednesday for Grantwood, N. J., called there by the serious illness of her grandmother.
Miss Minnie Garrett returned Wednesday from Greensboro where she was graduated from G. C. W. Attending the graduating exercises were Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Garrett, Miss Neelie Garrett and Reid Garrett.
Clifford Steele came home Sunday from Atlanta where he has just graduated in dentistry from the Atlanta-Southern College. He expects to go before the State Board at Wrightsville June 16th for State license.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leak and little daughter, Pattie, left today for a ten days' stay at Williamston S. C. They will also visit at Greenville, Anderson, and Columbia before returning here the 27th.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hutto, after making a short trip to Washington and spending ten days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hawley, have now returned to Tampa, Fla., where Mr. Hutto is assistant auditor of the Tampa Northern Ry.
Miss Jessie Steele, accompanied by Miss Laura Page Steele, returned here Saturday from Rutherfordton. Miss Steele has spent several months in Rutherford county as Demonstration Agent. As announced elsewhere in this issue, she and Mr. Robert Randolph Simmons, of Rutherfordton, will be married June 26th.

Commencement Over.

The reciters' and declaimers' contests featured the Commencement exercises of the Rockingham High School last Thursday night. Carl Coley was awarded the declaimers' medal, and Mary McBryde the reciters' medal.
Friday noon was held the Class Day exercises. Friday night was the wind-up, the presentation of diplomas by Chairman W. N. Everett, the announcement of awards, of attendance records etc. Elsie Fairley was given the Math medal, and Marie Covington the English medal. Hon. Jas. H. Pou, of Raleigh, delivered the address Friday night, and for an hour and a quarter held the strict attention of every person with his predictions as to the changed conditions and problems that we would face after the war.
The following pupils made perfect attendance records, neither absent or tardy during the year. The figures occur opposite the names means that the pupil has made this record for that specific number of years:
1st grade—Lola May Cockman 1, Mabel Picklesimer 1, Horace Covington 1.
2B—Clay Bell 1, Bruce Gore 1, Mary Sue Allen 1.
2nd grade—Johnnie McAulay 2, Beulah Bolton 1, Johnnie May Brady 2.
3rd grade—Sarah Dickinson 2, Elizabeth Allen 1, Grace Barrett 1.
3rd and 4th—T. B. Liles 1, Agnes Cockman 1, Jeannette Picklesimer 1, Elizabeth Rayle 2, Pauline McBryde 3, Mary McCollum 2.
4th and 5th—Virginia Benton 1, Jimmie May Currie 1, Margaret Porter 3, Alberta Barrett 2.
5th grade—Mabel Porter 3, Myrtle Porter 3, Lillie Edwards 1, Mary Smith 1, Jim Bell 3.
6th grade—Jessie McAulay 4, Nettie Covington 1, Rebecca Covington 2.
7th grade—Johnnie Henry 3, Gilbert Hall 4.
8th grade—John Wm. Gore 4, Frank Copeland 3, Roy Coble 5, Henry Steele 3, Lemie May Pond 2.
9th grade—Carl Coley 6, Joe Edwards 6, Pat Edwards 4.
10th grade—Ernest Coble 4, Mary McBride 3, Geraldine Smith 2.
The following pupils led their respective grades in scholarship with the following average:
1. Lola May Cockman..... 97
1B. Clay Bell..... 97
2. Johnnie Little..... 95.83
3A. Elizabeth Allen..... 96.06
3B. Minnie LeGrand Baldwin..... 96.04
4B. Alberta Barrett..... 96.33
5. Walter Humphrey..... 94
6. Rebecca Covington..... 96
7. Robert Covington..... 96
8. John Wm. Gore..... 95.02
9. Mary Louise Everett..... 94
10. Geraldine Smith..... 95.00
11. Elsie Fairley..... 94.22
—Battery D, 113th, Field Artillery, (the Wadesboro company) embarked from New York May 26th and should arrive "over there" today.
—Next Sunday is Decoration Day for the W. O. W. and the local Camp will properly observe it. All members are asked to meet at the hall Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with flowers, and then march to the cemetery in a body.

Fatal Auto Accident.

W. A. Childers, superintendent of Steele's Mills, was instantly killed last Sunday morning about 3:30 o'clock when his car ran off a fill, overturned and pinned him between it and a tree.
In the car, an Overland, were J. Stogner, Pete Murphy and a Mr. Smith. The party left the city, on their return to Steele's Mills, about three o'clock Sunday morning. The place of the accident was three miles from town on the Cheraw road, on a nine-foot fill; the road at this point is 15 feet wide. The members of the party state that the car was not being driven at an excessive rate, and cannot account for Childers getting too near the edge of the fill. At any rate, the car overturned, and pinned the driver between the seat and a tree. Death was instantaneous. None of the other three occupants were hurt. Over an hour elapsed before the heavy car could be removed from the crushed body of the deceased.
The funeral services were held from his home at Steele's Mills Monday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Watson, and interment at Mizpah cemetery. Surviving are his wife and four children. He was 38 years of age, and had been superintendent of this mill for 18 months, prior to that time being connected with the Entwistle mill. He was originally from Gaston county.

Cole-Marks Wedding.

Cards have been issued to friends announcing the marriage on Thursday of last week of Miss Sallie Tom Marks to Mr. Thomas Talmage Cole. The wedding was very quietly solemnized by Rev. Bruce Benton at the home of J. A. Marks at 9 o'clock Thursday night, and the couple left at once for a bridal trip to San Francisco and other western cities. They will be at home at the Selwyn hotel, Charlotte, after July 15th. The many friends of the young couple join in wishing them every happiness.
—Mrs. B. F. Palmer is a successful gardener. She has this week had from her garden snap beans, butter beans, Irish potatoes, cabbage, beets, carrots, onions, radishes, corn, squash, cucumbers, rhubarb, lettuce, strawberries and raspberries.
The Y. W. A. of the Baptist church had a delightful meeting with Mrs. James Thredgill, last Friday night. The members of the society brought sewing, and after busying themselves for a while put their work aside, and spent quite a while chatting. The hostess served a delicious ice course. Those present were: Misses Long, Dockery, McIntosh, Turner, Dunn, Poplin, Sharpe, Shaw, Ingram, McCollum and Ratliff.

Misses Ruby Ivey and Kathryn Morehead left this morning for Charlotte.

Services at Episcopal church by Rev. Mr. Cheatham next Sunday morning and night.

Mrs. G. G. Shannonhouse, Jr., arrived Tuesday from Richmond to visit her mother, Mrs. Willie Stansill.

Miss Irene Prince, of Laurinburg, came Tuesday night to visit Miss Ruth Harrison. She expects to return Saturday.

Miss Sallie E. Blake returned to her home at Tallahassee, Fla., Wednesday after having visited Mrs. M. H. Fowlkes for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Everett and Miss Mary Louise Everett went to Chapel Hill Sunday to attend Commencement, returning Wednesday night.

Houston Everett returned from the University Wednesday night. Jerome Pence came home last Saturday. Harvey and John Terry return today.

Rev. G. F. Smith attended Trinity Commencement, going Monday and returning Wednesday night. Rev. J. H. Hall went Tuesday and will return tonight.

Frank Smith, first year medical student at the University, came home last Thursday. He left Sunday for Richmond, near which place he will work in a munition plant during his summer vacation returning to resume his medical course in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hamiter and Miss Lula Little, of Little Rock, Arkansas, arrived here this morning, with Miss Robertelle Hamiter, from Randolph-Macon College, where they attended the Commencement; Miss Hamiter has just completed her second year at Randolph-Macon. Mrs. Hamiter and Miss Little are sisters of Mrs. W. B. Cole and the party will visit her for a week.

Johnson in Register's Office.

Emmit W. Smith, who has been Mr. Reynold's assistant in the Register of Deeds office, last week went to Wilmington and enlisted in the Navy. He expects to be called to report the first of next week. Robert L. Johnson, who has been the Clerk of Court's assistant, and who received the Democratic nomination for Register, Wednesday "moved across the hall" and is now Mr. Reynold's assistant; Billy McAulay will help his father in the Clerk's office.

Glasses Found.

A pair of gold-rimmed glasses left by some one in Post-Dispatch office. Owner please come get same.

34c Shirt Waists.

50c white shirt waists 34c, at Arenson's.

It pays to trade with R. L. McDonald.

34c Middies.

Children's 50c Middies for 34c, at Arenson's.

It pays to trade with R. L. McDonald.

"Scandal" at Star Friday.

Chas. W. Fairbank, former Vice-President of the United States, died at his home in Indianapolis, Indiana, June 4th.

It pays to trade with R. L. McDonald.

"Scandal" at Star tomorrow.

WHEN in need of Printing see what we can do before you go elsewhere.

COURT CALENDAR FOR JUNE TERM

BEGINNING JUNE 17TH, 1918

HON. W. F. HARDING, PRESIDING.

MONDAY

196—N. L. Henderson..... vs..... S. A. L. Ry. Co.
229—J. M. Bowden..... vs..... A. R. Bowden
276—Dorcus Bethea..... vs..... Winston-Salem Southbound Ry. Co.
337—Perry Harrington..... vs..... Winston-Salem Southbound Ry. Co.
351—J. Carl McLean, Ex..... vs..... J. W. Carter et al.
376—W. R. Williams, Receiver..... vs..... N. W. Fowler
377—J. W. Wooten..... vs..... S. A. L. Ry. Co.
380—R. T. Pate and W. H. Pate..... vs..... S. A. L. Ry. Co.
381—J. H. McDuffie et al..... vs..... S. A. L. Ry. Co.
394—W. H. Thomas..... vs..... E. W. Ancrum

TUESDAY

286—George E. Gill et al..... vs..... A. W. Porter et al.
416—Bank of Pee Dee Inc..... vs..... J. C. New and T. L. Covington
420—C. L. Yandle..... vs..... Van Noy Interstate Co. and J. P. Gibbons
426—R. W. Tarleton..... vs..... Jim McDougald et al.
428—J. S. Utter et al..... vs..... W. C. Seals et al.
432—Tiffany & Co..... vs..... Claudius Dockery et al.
441—A. R. McPhail..... vs..... Will C. Reddick
458—Clark & Hudnell..... vs..... Thomas Townsend
480—J. Alex Russell..... vs..... B. R. Gatlin and R. E. Allen

MOTION

17—D. M. Morrison..... vs..... M. C. Freeman
56—J. F. Brower..... vs..... Cameron Morrison et al.
107—Ruth Dawkins..... vs..... Samuel Wayne Dawkins
110—T. F. Boyd..... vs..... C. H. Kelly
242—Presnell & Brown..... vs..... Murd McSweeney
254—J. A. Williams..... vs..... H. F. Kinsman
255—J. A. Williams..... vs..... J. P. Gibbons
368—Sanford Sash & Blind Co..... vs..... Makepeace Sash & Door Co.
406—P. T. Seals et al..... vs..... T. F. Boyd
486—Litz-Smith Fuel Co..... vs..... J. C. Jones
497—First National Bank of Hamlet..... vs..... J. J. Laughlin et al

Parties need not attend except on the day their cases are calendared.

J. A. McAULAY, Clerk of Court.

Cows For Sale

12 high-grade, fresh Jersey cows for sale. Price from \$70 to \$90.

Also, a number of registered Duroc-Jersey pigs for sale.

W. E. CROSLAND

ROCKINGHAM.

ROUTE 1.

YOUNG MAN

Every day sees you nearer to old age and the time when you can not work.

Every day should see you laying by something for that day.

Are you doing it?

\$1 will start a savings account at this bank.

Have we said enough?

The Bank of Rockingham

CAPITAL STOCK \$25,000.00.

M. W. McRAE, President
A. C. EVERETT, Vice President

B. F. REYNOLDS, Cashier
J. V. WEBB, Asst. Cashier